TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



CORRECTED FISCAL NOTE

SB 104 - HB 93

February 9, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Deletes the statutory reference to the "Workforce Investment Act of 1998" and substitutes instead "workforce development program" in multiple sections of the Tennessee Workforce Development Act of 1999. Prohibits any appointing authority of a board, commission or panel administratively attached to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development (DLWD) from discriminating against any person on the basis of sex or disability, in addition to race, color, ethnicity, national origin, and religious belief. Removes section of law that refers to an obsolete pilot program.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

On February 2, 2015 the fiscal note for this bill was erroneously issued without the required commerce impact statement. The fiscal note is being corrected to include a commerce impact statement. The fiscal impact estimated for state and local government remains unchanged.

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Any fiscal impact resulting from the proposed statutory reference change within the Tennessee Workforce Development Act is considered not significant.
- It is not anticipated that the addition of this anti-discrimination provision will trigger any additional court cases beyond what would occurred otherwise.
- Any fiscal impact resulting from the removal of an obsolete pilot program from statute is considered not significant.
- The fiscal impact of this bill on state and local government is estimated to be not significant.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

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Assumption:

• Any impact to businesses as a result of the bill is considered not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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